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TO A SECOND FLUID

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 23, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the  
following amendments and remarks in connection with this application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page  
2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.